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May 23, 2006

Mr. Gregory Williams, Reimbursement Manager Sava Senior Care 5300 West Sam Houston Parkway North Houston, Texas 77041

Re: AC# 3-OKB-J2 – GranCare South Carolina, Inc. d/b/a Oakbrook Healthcare Center

Dear Mr. Williams:

The accompanying report has been prepared by our office based on your Medicaid Financial and Statistical Report submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services for the cost report period October 1, 2001 through September 30, 2002. That report was used to set the rate covering the contract period beginning October 1, 2003.

We are recommending that the Department of Health and Human Services certify an accounts receivable to recover amounts due as a result of the rate change shown on Exhibit A. You will be notified of repayment terms by that Agency.

If you take exception to this report in any manner, you have the right to appeal in accordance with the <u>Code of Laws of South Carolina</u>, 1976, as amended, Title 44, and Department of Health and Human Services Regulation R.126-150, and you must respond in writing within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of this letter. This written response must address the specific items in the report being appealed, and must be directed to the Appeals and Hearings, Department of Health and Human Services, Post Office Box 8206, Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206. Any correspondence should include the control number appearing on Exhibit A of this report.

Thomas L. Wagner, Jr., CPA State Auditor

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cc: Ms. Brenda L. Hyleman

Mr. Jeff Saxon

Ms. Kathleen C. Snider

GRANCARE SOUTH CAROLINA, INC. D/B/A OAKBROOK HEALTHCARE CENTER

SUMMERVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA

CONTRACT PERIOD BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2003 AC# 3-OKB-J2

AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES REPORT

ON CONTRACT

FOR

PURCHASE OF NURSING CARE SERVICES

WITH

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

April 12, 2006

Department of Health and Human Services State of South Carolina Columbia, South Carolina

We have performed the procedures enumerated below, which were agreed to by the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, solely to compute the rate change and related adjusted reimbursement rate to be used by the Department in determining the reimbursement settlement with GranCare South Carolina, Inc. d/b/a Oakbrook Healthcare Center, for the contract period beginning October 1, 2003, and for the twelve month cost report period ended September 30, 2002, as set forth in the accompanying schedules. The management of GranCare South Carolina, Inc. d/b/a Oakbrook Healthcare Center is responsible for the Financial and Statistical Report for Nursing Homes and supporting accounting and statistical records. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of the procedures is solely the responsibility of the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

The procedures and the associated findings are as follows:

- 1. We selected costs or areas based on our analytical procedures applied to the reimbursable Medicaid program costs as shown on the Financial and Statistical Report for Nursing Homes, as filed by GranCare South Carolina, Inc. d/b/a Oakbrook Healthcare Center to determine if these costs were allowable as defined by the State Plan for Medicaid reimbursement purposes and supported by accounting and statistical records maintained by the Provider. Our findings as a result of these procedures are presented in the Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days, Adjustment Report, and Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis sections of this report.
- 2. We recomputed the Computation of Reimbursement Rate using the adjusted costs and calculated the rate change in accordance with the provisions of the contract between the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services and GranCare South Carolina, Inc. d/b/a Oakbrook Healthcare Center dated as of October 1, 2001, as amended. Our findings as a result of these procedures are presented in the Computation of Rate Change and Computation of Adjusted Reimbursement Rate sections of this report.

Department of Health and Human Services State of South Carolina April 12, 2006

We were not engaged to and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on the financial statements or a part thereof. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than the specified party.

Thomas L. Wagner, Jr., CPA

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Computation of Rate Change For the Contract Period Beginning October 1, 2003 AC# 3-OKB-J2

	10/01/03- 09/30/04
Interim Reimbursement Rate (1)	\$114.99
Adjusted Reimbursement Rate	113.32
Decrease in Reimbursement Rate	\$ <u>1.67</u>

(1) Interim reimbursement rate from the South Carolina Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Provider Rate Listing dated March 1, 2006

Computation of Adjusted Reimbursement Rate
For the Contract Period October 1, 2003 Through September 30, 2004
AC# 3-OKB-J2

	Incentives	Allowable Cost	Cost Standard	Computed Rate
Costs Subject to Standards:			<u></u>	
General Services		\$ 54.57	\$63.18	
Dietary		10.81	11.76	
Laundry/Housekeeping/Maintenance		8.31	10.49	
Subtotal	\$ <u>5.98</u>	73.69	85.43	\$ 73.69
Administration & Medical Records	\$	14.24	13.25	13.25
Subtotal		87.93	\$ <u>98.68</u>	86.94
Costs Not Subject to Standards:				
Utilities Special Services Medical Supplies & Oxygen Taxes and Insurance Legal Fees		2.19 .65 5.48 4.71		2.19 .65 5.48 4.71
TOTAL		\$ <u>100.96</u>		99.97
Inflation Factor (4.70%)				4.70
Cost of Capital				6.90
Cost of Capital Limitation				-
Profit Incentive (Maximum 3.5% of Allowable Cost)				-
Cost Incentive				5.98
Effect of \$1.75 Cap on Cost/Profit	Incentives			(4.23)
ADJUSTED REIMBURSEMENT RATE				\$ <u>113.32</u>

Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 2002
AC# 3-OKB-J2

	Totals (From Schedule SC 13) as	Adjustm	ents	Adjusted
Expenses	Adjusted by DH&HS	Debit	Credit	Totals
General Services	\$1,706,927	\$ -	\$12,310 (3) 11,954 (4)	\$1,682,663
Dietary	333,373	-	-	333,373
Laundry	67,432	-	-	67,432
Housekeeping	103,474	-	-	103,474
Maintenance	82,946	2,261 (3)	-	85,207
Administration & Medical Records	433,864	5,147 (3)	-	439,011
Utilities	67,634	-	4 (3)	67,630
Special Services	20,113	-	-	20,113
Medical Supplies & Oxygen	175,400	-	6,510 (4)	168,890
Taxes and Insurance	145,713	2,497 (3)	2,949 (2)	145,261
Legal Fees	-	-	-	-
Cost of Capital	234,149	1,130 (5)	1,663 (1) 20,823 (3)	212,793
Subtotal	3,371,025	11,035	56,213	3,325,847

Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 2002
AC# 3-OKB-J2

	Totals (From Schedule SC 13) as	Adjustm	ents	Adjusted
Expenses	Adjusted by DH&HS	Debit	Credit	Totals
Ancillary	111,084	-	-	111,084
Nonallowable	706,625	1,663 (1) 2,949 (2) 23,232 (3) 18,464 (4)	1,130 (5)	751,803
Total Operating Expenses	\$ <u>4,188,734</u>	\$ <u>57,343</u>	\$ <u>57,343</u>	\$ <u>4,188,734</u>
Total Patient Days	30,835			<u>30,835</u>
Total Beds	88			

Adjustment Report
Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 2002
AC# 3-OKB-J2

ADJUSTMENT NUMBER	ACCOUNT TITLE	DEBIT	CREDIT
1	Accumulated Depreciation Nonallowable Fixed Assets Other Equity Cost of Capital	\$78,039 1,663	\$66,594 11,445 1,663
	To adjust fixed assets and related depreciation HIM-15-1, Section 2304 State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
2	Nonallowable Taxes and Insurance	2,949	2,949
	To adjust liability insurance expense HIM-15-1, Section 2304		
3	Maintenance Administration Taxes and Insurance Nonallowable Nursing Utilities Cost of Capital	2,261 5,147 2,497 23,232	12,310 4 20,823
	To adjust home office cost allocation HIM-15-1, Section 2304 State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
4	Nonallowable Nursing Medical Supplies	18,464	11,954 6,510
	To remove special (ancillary) services		

reimbursed by Medicare

State Plan, Attachment 4.19D

Adjustment Report
Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 2002
AC# 3-OKB-J2

ADJUSTMENT <u>NUMBER</u>	ACCOUNT TITLE	<u>DEBIT</u>	CREDIT
5	Cost of Capital Nonallowable	1,130	1,130
	To adjust capital return State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
	TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	\$ <u>135,382</u>	\$ <u>135,382</u>

Due to the nature of compliance reporting, adjustment descriptions and references contained in the preceding Adjustment Report are provided for general guidance only and are not intended to be all-inclusive.

Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 2002
AC# 3-OKB-J2

Original Asset Cost (Per Bed)	\$ 15,618
Inflation Adjustment	2.55013
Deemed Asset Value (Per Bed)	39,828
Number of Beds	88
Deemed Asset Value	3,504,864
Improvements Since 1981	431,018
Accumulated Depreciation at 9/30/02	(1,271,033)
Deemed Depreciated Value	2,664,849
Market Rate of Return	.0561
Total Annual Return	149,498
Return Applicable to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	(1,043)
Allocation of Interest to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	
Allowable Annual Return	148,455
Depreciation Expense	79,925
Amortization Expense	399
Capital Related Income Offsets	(15,371)
Allocation of Capital Expenses to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	(615)
Allowable Cost of Capital Expense	212,793
Total Patient Days (Minimum 96% Occupancy)	30,835
Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$6.90

Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 2002
AC# 3-OKB-J2

6/30/89 Cost of Capital and Return on Equity Capital Per Diem Reimbursement	\$ 7.79
Adjustment for Maximum Increase	3.99
Maximum Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$ <u>11.78</u>
Reimbursable Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$ 6.90
Cost of Capital Per Diem	6.90
Cost of Capital Per Diem Limitation	\$

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